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No. T. S. O. 9.

FROM

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Collector and Talukdari Settlement Officer,
Ahmedabad;

To

THE COMMISSIONER,
Northern Division.

Ahmedabad, 5th December 1923.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit my report on the managed Talukdari Estates of the Ahmedabad District for the year 1922-23.

PART I.—PRELIMINARY AND TOUR.

2. *Charge.*—Mr. Chatfield held charge till 20th March 1923 and Mr. Sorley held charge from 21st March 1923 to 5th June 1923, while I held charge for the rest of the year.

3. *Annual Tour.*—My Personal Assistant Mr. Brown visited Dhandhuka and Viramgam in September 1922 and in consultation with the Mamlatdars submitted proposals in respect of all the estates then under management. According to his proposals many estates have repaid their debts and gone out of management. He also submitted similar proposals in respect of other estates of the other Talukas and Mahals. Many estates have also paid up their debts and got out of management.

PART II.—REVENUE ADMINISTRATION.

4. *Character of the Season.*—The season was fairly normal. The result was that in many places the current year's dues and ½ of the past year's arrears were collected.

5. *Collection of Jama.*—Statement I attached to this report shows the detailed figures. The total demand including the whole of the suspended Jama of the previous year was Rs. 6,57,946. Out of this Rs. 4,23,179 were collected and Rs. 87,488 written off leaving a balance of Rs. 1,47,279 for future collections. Rs. 87,488 shown as written off consisted of automatic remissions. The balance was mainly on account of suspended arrears.

6. *Collection of Tagavi.*—The detailed figures are given in Statement II. Out of a demand of Rs. 2,84,983 Rs. 2,64,882 were collected (which includes Rs. 10,623 of voluntary payments) and Rs. 2,399 written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 28,725 for future collections.

The information required in accordance with Government Order (Financial Department), dated 22nd December 1915, is as under :—

(*a*) The total amount of Tagavi advanced on the security of the estates is Rs. 3,885.

(*b*) Amount paid by estates in respect of (A) Nil.

(*c*) Amount recovered by estates in respect of (B) Nil.

7. *Collection of Loan Accounts.*—The collection of various loans is shown in Statement III which is divided into 4 sections A, B, C and D :—

A.—Loans advanced under Act VI of 1862.

B.—Loans advanced for debt settlement.

C.—Loans advanced for maintenance in the years 1899-1900 and subsequent years.

D.—Loans advanced for maintenance in the year 1912 and subsequent years.

Statement III-A.—Action was taken for the recovery of debts due by the Samani and Jhanjharka Bhagvatsang Devisang estates by sale of estates. Thakor Fulsinhji who owned the Samani estate undertook to pay the whole debt in an annual instalment of Rs. 6,000. The proposals were accepted and the question of sale has remained in abeyance for the present. As regards the other estate a suit is being filed under the orders of Government by the Government Pleader for the recovery of the debt (Government Resolution No. 2455, dated 25th October 1922).

A sum of Rs. 5,000 repaid by the Samani estate during the year according to the arrangement made by the Thakor before the receipt of the Government orders which were to take effect from the next year. The estate of Bagad Punja Vikamshi having paid up the loan debt was released from management. Rs. 960 and Rs. 740 were paid up by the Jhanjharka estate.

The debt due to Government at the close of the year from these 3 estates was Rs. 52,641 inclusive of interest.

Statement III-B.—Rs. 72,991 were collected as against Rs. 75,559 last year and Rs. 12,590 the year before last.

Statement III-C.—The two estates have paid off all their debts.

Statement III-D.—Nearly 68 per cent. of the total debt, *viz.*, Rs. 11,882, were recovered this year. Nothing was advanced during the year. The total balance at the end of the year amounted to Rs. 6,418 inclusive of interest.

PART III.—Management of Estates.

8. *Classification of estates*—

Serial No.	Authority.	Number of Estates.	
		Talukdari.	Non-Talukdari.
1	Court of Wards Act ...	9	2
2	Guardians and Wards Act ...	3	1
3	Civil Procedure Code, Schedule 3, para. 7 ...	6	
4	Do. do. Order 40, Rule 5 ...	5	
5	Gujarat Talukdars' Act, section 27 ...	6	
6	Do. do. section 28 ...	54	
7	Land Revenue Code, section 144 ...	19	
8	For Loan and Tagavi debts due to Government—		
	(*a*) Act VI of 1862 ...	3	
	(*b*) Others ..	5	
9	On behalf of creditors ...	...	
	Total ...	110	3

85 have been released from management, 63 of which had been managed under section 28 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act. Efforts are being made to release many more estates from management during the current year.

9. *Estates managed under the Court of Wards Act.*—A separate report has already been submitted to Government. The Gamph Estate was taken under management at the close of the year and hence its figures have not been shewn in the report.

10. *Estates managed under the Guardians and Wards Act.*—A separate report on the estates managed under this Act has already been submitted to

Government. The increase is due to the Vatwa estate coming under management. It is a non-talukdari estate.

11. *Estates managed under the Civil Procedure Code, Schedule III, Para. 7.*—There are six estates under management this year against five last year.

12. *Estates managed under Civil Procedure Code, Order 40, Rule 5.*—There were five estates under management at the close of the year. One new was added during the year and one was released.

13. *Estates managed under section 27 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.*—There are 6 estates under management :—

1 Bhankoda

4 Chhaniar (the Chhaniar estate has been split for convenience into 4).

1 Bhoyni.

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6

As the Bhoyni estate was taken under management in June its figures were not available and hence are not shewn in the statements.

14. *Estates managed under section 28 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.*—Out of 117 estates managed under this head last year 63 have been released leaving 54 estates at the end of the year.

15. *Estates managed under section 144 of the Land Revenue Code.*—Last year there were 20 estates under management. This year there were 19.

16. *Estates managed under mortgage deeds for Loans and Tagavi debts to Government :—*

1. *Under Act VI of 1862.*—For these a reference is invited to para. 7 above.

2. *Other estates.*—There are 5 estates as against 20 last year. 15 estates having paid up their debts were released during the year.

17. *Estates managed on behalf of Creditors.*—There were 2 estates under management last year. All have been released from management during the year.

18. *Leases.*—68 leases were granted as against 116 last year, shewing a reduction of 48. The decrease is mainly due to the withdrawal of management during the year.

19. *Village Police.*—The practice of appointing talukdars themselves as Mukhis is followed wherever possible. If there are quarrels in the village an outsider is generally appointed.

20. *Bandh Karkuns.*—The interim scheme referred to in last year's report was provisionally sanctioned by Government, *vide* Government Resolution, Revenue Department, No. 4017, dated 12th December 1922.

21. *Collection of Rents in managed estates:*—The following are the figures of demand, collections, &c., for the year :—

Demands.			Collections.			Amount written off.		Converted into bonds.	Balance.		
Current.	Arrears.	Total.	Current.	Arrears.	Total.	In favour of tenants.	In favour of talukdars.		Current.	Arrears.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
2,65,804	1,10,081	3,75,885	2,43,345	19,435	2,62,830	7,454	9,671	...	12,795	83,135	95,930

The total rental demand of the estates under management including arrears of past years was Rs. 3,75,885 out of which Rs. 2,62,830 were collected and Rs. 17,125 were written off leaving a sum of Rs. 95,930 for future collections. The sum of Rs. 17,125 shewn as written off includes not only remissions granted to the estates' tenants but also allowances to talukdars for maintenance.

22. *Leases of Waste Lands.*—Nil.

PART IV.—Indebtedness of Estates.

23. *Debt Settlement.*—No noteworthy settlement has been made during the year.

24. *Liquidation of Decretal Debts.*—There were 29 Darkhasts at the beginning of the year to which 15 new ones were added during the course of the year. Out of these 16 were returned to the Court leaving 28 at the close of the year. Rs. 3,414 were paid to judgment-creditors.

The total debt due on 28 Darkhasts still pending at the end of the year was as follows :—

		Amount.
		Rs.
Civil Procedure Code, Order 40, Rule 5	...No. 5	7,232
,, Schedule 3, para. 7	...No. 6	27,353
,, ,, 3, ,,	...No. 1	3,034
,, ,, 3, ,,	...No. 16	81,887
Total	...No. 28	1,19,506

25. *Sanction to Incumbrances.*—Permission to borrow money under section 31 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act was granted to the extent of Rs. 84,482 as against Rs. 1,54,785 last year and Rs. 88,025 during 1920-21. Permission to borrow is now given freely as the money borrowed is partly for repayment of loan and Tagavi and partly for maintenance and other charges.

26. *Total Indebtedness of managed estates.*—The total indebtedness of the managed estates has been reduced from Rs. 8,77,496 to Rs. 6,34,198.

PART V.—Miscellaneous.

27. *Survey and Settlement.*—As all the work had been completed the establishments entertained for the work have been disbanded.

R. S. Mohanlal Lallubhai, the Assistant Survey Settlement Officer, Ahmedabad, has retired on pension. He worked as efficiently as in previous years.

Mr. Pandya, the Assistant Survey Settlement Officer, Prantij and Modasa worked very hard.

28. *Partition.*—There were 9 cases at the beginning of the year and 6 new cases were received during the year. One was disposed of, one was sent to a Civil Court and 13 remained pending at the close of the year.

29. *Litigation.*—Out of the ten suits pending in the court in respect of the estates under management one was disposed of in favour and nine are still pending. The fall in balance is due to the elimination of the suits in respect of the Sanand and other estates that were released during the year.

I would like to express my thanks to R. B. Ramanbhai M. Nilkanth, M.L.C., for his valuable advice on technical points in connection with working of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act, and other matters relating to estates' management.

R. B. Girdharlal U. Parikh, Government Pleader, has also been uniformly conscientious and painstaking in the cases which have been entrusted to him.

30. *Education.*—There were 17 Kumars receiving education at the Talukdari Hostel at Dhandhuka in the beginning of the year. 9 new Kumars were admitted and 11 left during the year. There were 15 Kumars residing at the Hostel at the close of the year as against 17 last year.

31. *Cost of Management.*—The proportion of cost of management to the income of the managed estates is shown in Statement IV as 11·6 per cent. This figure represents the amount actually recovered during the year and it has not much meaning. Costs are recovered at 10 per cent. on the gross income of the estates.

32. *Defalcation.*—The clerk responsible is absconding and it has not yet been found possible to arrest him.

The accounts of the managed estates were audited by the Auditors of the Accountant General's Office as ordered by Government.

33. *Establishment.*—The Prant Officers have been taking much more interest in Talukdari work with satisfactory results.

(2) The work of the managerial establishment was found to be satisfactory.

(3) The Sheristedar Mr. Harilal Bapalal Trivedi has worked hard and efficiently.

(4) The Deputy Manager, Sanand, has reverted to British service as Mamlatdar at Kapadvanj.

Mr. Raval, Deputy Manager, Gamph, left the service of the estate at the beginning of the year and his place has been taken by Mr. Durlabhram.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Sd.) J. H. GARRETT,

Collector
and Talukdari Settlement Officer,
Ahmedabad.

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FROM

H. K. KIRPALANI, ESQ., I.C.S.,

Collector of Kaira;

TO

THE COMMISSIONER, Northern Division,

Ahmedabad.

Camp Nadiad, 6th December 1923.

Subject.—Report on the Administration of the Talukdari Estates in the Kaira District for the year 1922-1923.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit the following report on the administration of the Talukdari estates of this District for the year ending 31st July 1923.

PART I.—PRELIMINARY AND TOUR.

2. *Charge.*—Mr. S. H. Covernton, I.C.S., held charge of the District from the beginning of the year to 8th May 1923, and I held charge from the 9th May 1923 to the end of the year.

3. *Character of the Season.*—The rainfall was somewhat deficient, but the season on the whole was normal throughout the District except in parts of Matar, Mehmedabad and Nadiad Talukas.

4 *Annual Tour.*—The details of the annual tour have been described in the Appendix B to the combined Land Revenue Administration Report to which reference is invited.

PART II.—REVENUE ADMINISTRATION.

5. *Collection of Jama.*—The figures of demand, collection and arrears of Jama are shown in detail in Statement I.

Out of the total demand of Rs. 59,709, the recovery of Rs. 3,659 due from the Thakore Sahib of Utelia in respect of the villages of Hariala and Kharenti in Matar Taluka was stayed under an injunction issued by the District Court, and Rs. 3,871 (on account of past years) were suspended.

The balance for recovery amounted to Rs. 52,179 and it was collected in full.

6. *Collection of Tagavi.*—The net demand for the year amounted to Rs. 18,063 the whole of which was collected:—

(*a*) No Tagavi was advanced to tenants by Government on the security of estates.

(*b*) No amount was repaid by estates in respect of (*a*).

(*c*) No amount was recovered from tenants in respect of (*b*).

7. *Loans.*—The details of recoveries of loans are given in Statement III.

Statement B.—Loans advanced for Debt Settlement.—The balance of debt due at the beginning of the year amounted to Rs. 43,791 to which Rs. 1,415 were added on account of interest. In all Rs. 35,652 (Rs. 28,013 on account of principal, and Rs. 7,639 on account of interest) were repaid during the year leaving Rs. 9,554 outstanding on 30th September 1923.

Statement D.—Loans granted for maintenance in the scarcity year 1918

The balance of loans under this head at the beginning of the year was Rs. 9,761 to which Rs. 206 were added on account of interest. No advances were made during the year. In all Rs. 9,357 (Rs. 7,696 on account of principal and Rs. 1,661 on account of interest) were repaid during the year. The balance of the debt outstanding at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 610 including Rs. 60 on account of interest.

PART III.

8. *Management of Estates.*—At the commencement of the year, there were 27 estates under management. One more, *viz.*, the Baroda estate came under management during the year on the transfer of the Baroda village from Dholka Taluka to Matar Taluka (*vide* G. R. No. 5745, dated 13th October 1922, R. D.). Nine estates as shown in the margin were released from management during the year on the date shown against each. The number of estates remaining under management at the close of the year was 19 as shown below:—

Serial No.	Name of estate.	Date of release.
1.	Dehewan Wadi—Mansang Kabhai	... 2-10-22.
2.	Gajna—Shivsang Bawaji	... 9-10-22.
3.	Bhetashi—Raisang Dadabava	...18-12-22.
4.	Anklao—Himatsang Lalsang	... 2- 5-23.
5.	Dehewan—Naharsinhji Meheramansinhji	...15- 5-23.
6.	Chitlao—Fatesinh Nathoobava	...15- 6-23.
7.	Samarkha—Bai Diwali	...30- 6-23.
8.	Kherda—Himatsang Takhatsang	...30- 6-23.
9.	Jorapura—Ramsang Dadabava and others	...10- 7-23.

Serial No.	Classification.	Talukdari.	Non-Talukdari.
1	Court of Wards ...	3	4
2	Guardians and Wards ...	1	5
3	Gujarat Talukdars' Act ...	5	0
4	Managed under mortgage deed for loan due to Government.	1	0
	Total ...	10 +	9
		19	

9. *Estates managed under the Court of Wards Act.*—Out of 8 estates shown under management at the end of the previous year, one estate, *viz.*, that of Himatsang Lalsang and others of Anklao was released from management. Thus 7 estates remained under management at the close of the year of which 3 were Talukdari and 4 non-Talukdari.

10. *Estates managed under the Guardians and Wards Act.*—The number of estates under management under this head was reduced from 7 to 6 owing to the release of the estate of Bai Diwali of Samarkha. As a detailed report on the administration of all estates managed under the Court of Wards and the Guardians and Wards Acts have been separately submitted, they are not dealt with in this report.

11. *Estates managed under Section 28 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.*—At the commencement of the year there were 11 estates under management in this class. The Baroda estate was added to the number, while 7 estates were released during the year, leaving 5 estates under management at the end of the year.

12. *Dehewan Estate.*—The history of this estate has been described at length in previous administration reports. The amount of loan debt due by the

estate to Government on 31st January 1923 was Rs. 2,432. The following items also remained to be recovered:—

Rs.	
685	Management charges.
160	Pleader's fees.
390	Village police charges.
300	Tagavi instalment.
1,535	

The balance of the estate amounted to Rs. 1,119 only. Sanction was, therefore, accorded under sections 29 (A) and 31 (1) of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act to mortgage estate lands measuring 20 A. 32 G. for Rs. 3,100. The Government loan debt and other dues were paid out of the amount thus raised and the management of the estate was handed over to the Thakore from 15th May 1923.

13. *Kherda Estate.*—The Government loan debt due by the estate on 1st October 1922 was Rs. 8,369-9-0.

Repayments were made as under:—

Rs.	750 on 20-11-22.
,,	1,850 on 27-2-23.
,,	1,650 on 22-3-23.
	4,250

There was thus a balance of Rs. 4,120 only which could have been repaid in one year. But as the Thakore was very keen on the management being restored to him, the amount required was raised by him privately and the Government debt fully repaid. The estate was accordingly handed over to the Thakore on 30th June 1923.

There is nothing of importance to note regarding the other estates under management.

14. *The General System of Management in managed Estates.*—Except Baroda estate which was farmed out to a Patidar lessee by the Talukdari Settlement Officer, Ahmedabad, for 14 years from 1914-15 all the other estates are under the direct management of the Collector.

The management charges which were levied at 15 per cent. of gross demand during the previous two years were reduced to 11 per cent. during the year under report, and it is proposed to further reduce them to 10 per cent. during the current year.

15. *Collection of Rents in directly managed Estates and of rent from the lessee of Baroda Estate.*—The annawari of crops justified the collection of one and a half year's rent of all the estates in Anand, Nadiad and Thasra Talukas, one year's rent in Borsad Taluka and half the year's rent in Matar Taluka. Out of the total rental demand of Rs. 83,732, Rs. 10,398 were remitted and written off, Rs. 595 were adjusted in the accounts on account of home farm lands and Rs. 3,939 were suspended. The net demand, therefore, came to Rs. 68,800, and out of it, Rs. 56,961 representing 82·8 per cent. were recovered. The unauthorized arrears amounted to Rs. 11,839, out of which Rs. 10,536 are due in respect of the (*a*) Janod, (*b*) Umeta and (*c*) Marida estates as shewn in the margin. Out of the arrears of Janod estate, Rs. 3,019 were due from the lessee of Prathirajpura, who appealed to the Commissioner against the Collector's order cancelling the lease. The appeal has been rejected and steps are in progress for recovery of the arrears pro rata from all the sharers in the lease. Rs. 582 are due from the Balasinor State, but the Alienation Officer's decision is awaited.

No.	Name of estate.	Amount of unauthorised arrears.
		Rs.
1	Janod—Naharsinhji P. ...	4,520
2	Umeta—Himatsinhji Naharsinhji.	4,645
3	Marida ...	1,371
		10,536

The arrears of the Umeta estate of Himatsinhji Naharsinhji are on account of the Jivai lands for which there is a dispute with the Thakor of Umeta who claims the land to have reverted to the parent estate. Reference in this connection is invited to the correspondence ending with this office No. T. S. O. 189, dated 5th November 1923.

The arrears of Marida estate are due partly from the tenants who had filed suits in the District Court at Ahmedabad against the Wantedars. The suits have been recently decided against the Wantedars, who intend to appeal to the High Court against the decision of the District Court. The arrears of this estate cannot be recovered by the use of the coercive processes under the Land Revenue Code as it is managed by the Collector as a mortgagee for the balance of the Government loan debt. Assistance suits under section 87, Land Revenue Code, or Civil Suits have to be filed according to the nature of the arrears.

16. *Total Indebtedness of managed Estates.*—Columns 6 and 7 of Statement VI shew that the balance of debt due by the estates under management amounted, at the commencement of the year, to Rs. 70,481 (Rs. 15,910 to Government on account of the debt settlement loan and Rs. 54,571 to private creditors). To this were added Rs. 716 on account of interest on the loan due to Government. No fresh debt was incurred during the year. The balance of debt remaining at the end of the year was Rs. 64,125 (columns 20 and 21 of Statement VI). Other debts of the estates on account of arrears of Jama, Tagavi and maintenance loans amounted to Rs. 2,894, making a total of Rs. 67,019. The bulk of this debt is due from the Umeta and Marida estates.

Out of the private debt, Rs. 43,248 are due by the Marida Estate which is to be released from management as soon as the Government debt is repaid. Rs. 9,044 of private debt are due by the estate of Himatsinhji N. of Umeta which will be released when the dispute regarding certain Jivai lands with the Thakor Saheb of Umeta, now pending before Government, is settled. For the balance of Government debt, the estates of Jesapura, Umeta and Mithapura are mainly responsible.

During the year under report, satisfactory progress was made in the repayment of the Government loan debt, as evidenced by the figures in columns 13, 14 and 15 of Statement III, Parts B and D, appended hereto.

In all Rs. 45,009 (Rs. 35,709 of principal plus Rs. 9,300 of interest) were repaid during the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 10,164 only at the end of the year.

17. *Sanction to create incumbrances.*—Sanction under section 31 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act to raise money by mortgages was given in respect of six estates. The total amount borrowed was Rs. 31,477 and the total area of the land mortgaged was 227 acres and 5 gunthas.

PART V.—Miscellaneous.

18. *Settlement Registers.*—Government in their Resolution No. 5605, dated 31st July 1922, R. D., directed that the Settlement Registers should be re-written after they had been in use for a period of 10 years provided the number of corrections made the rewriting necessary. As the number of mutations was small, the rewriting was not considered necessary in any case. The matter will be reconsidered in 1925.

19. *Litigation.*—Out of the 45 suits and appeals pending in Civil Courts, 32 were decided during the year, 9 in favour of the estates, 11 against them and 12 were returned to the plaintiffs for presentation to the proper courts.

10 suits filed by the Jitpura tenants of the Ahima estate claiming permanent tenancy rights are also pending.

20. *Nadiad Hostel.*—The number of boys in the Talukdari Hostel at Nadiad has been further reduced to 6, 4 having left during the year. Of the present residents, 4 are from this District, one comes from the Ahmedabad District and one from the Mahi Kantha Agency. The fall in the number is partly due to the poverty of the Talukdars, many of whom are unable to pay

the hostel fees and other incidental charges although they are fixed on a moderate scale and partly to the apathy of the local Talukdars towards the education of their sons. The question of raising the hostel fees which amount to Rs. 72 per term only has, therefore, been shelved for the present. Out of the building grant of Rs. 21,799 sanctioned by Government in their Order No. 2542, dated 16th June 1920, R. D., Rs. 4,612 were spent for the construction of the servants' quarters, bath rooms, a fuel shed and Bhangi's quarters as shewn in the last year's report. A sum of Rs. 191 has recently been sanctioned for repairing the compound hedge of the Hostel building and making an approach road thereto. Out of the unexpended balance of the grant, Rs. 10,000 have been invested in the 6 per cent. bonds of the 1927 Loan as reported in the last year's report and the remaining amount is kept in the Post Office Savings Bank to meet current expenditure.

General Remarks.—The usual Statements Nos. I to VI accompany.

Establishment.—Owing to the reduction in the number of estates under management the post of the Talukdari Head Clerk on Rs. 115—$\frac{5}{2}$—150 has been abolished with effect from 26th October 1923. The separate house which was hired for the Talukdari Branch of my office at a monthly rent of Rs. 12 has also been vacated with effect from 21st October 1923. There are now only two clerks in the office and they are accommodated in my office. This will effect a saving of (132 average pay of the post of Rs. 115—$\frac{5}{2}$—150 plus Rs. 12 of rent=) Rs. 144 per mensem.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Sd.) H. K. KIRPALANI,
Collector of Kaira.

No. T. S. O. 101.

FROM

W. C. TUDOR-OWEN, ESQ., I.C.S.;
Collector of the Panch Mahals;

To

THE COMMISSIONER, Northern Division,
Ahmedabad.

Godhra, 6th December 1923.

Subject.—Annual Administration Report of the Talukdari Estates.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit my report on the administration of the Talukdari Estates of this District during the year ending 31st July 1923.

PART I.—PRELIMINARY AND TOUR.

Estate.—The Talukdari Estates in the District are given in Statement I.

Charge.—I held charge of the District throughout the whole year excepting the periods from 1st August 1922 to 2nd August 1922 and 3rd August 1922 to 3rd November 1922 during which it was held by Messrs. H. V. Braham, I.C.S. and H. Montgomery, I.C.S., respectively.

Character of the Season.—The rainfall commenced in the month of June and continued in July, August and September. It was sufficient for all crops generally and on the whole the season was satisfactory. The outturn of crops was generally good.

Annual Tour.—I visited Shivrajpur, Bhamaria, Kanjari, Metral, Limdi, Pingli and Bodidra.

Mr. H. V. Braham, I.C.S., Assistant Collector, Panch Mahals, had visited all the villages of all the estates in the Kalol Taluka and Halol Mahal in connection with the Revision Settlement and also Mehlol, Bordi, Chhanip and Nathujinu Muvadu in the Godhra Taluka for crop inspection.

Mr. Joshi had encamped at Limdi on 11th October 1922 and Mr. Shaikh on 28th and 29th November 1922 and from 26th February to 28th February 1923.

PART II.—REVENUE ADMINISTRATION.

The detailed figures of demand, collection and arrears of Jama are shown in Statement I. Out of the total demand of Rs. 54,724 including the suspended arrears of last year, Rs. 53,524 were collected and Rs. 1,200 were remitted on account of Opium Compensation to the Thakors of Limdi and Golana estates in Jhalod Mahal.

There is an increase of Rs. 2 in the current demand which is due to counting fractions of rupees exceeding eight annas, as whole rupees, in the estates of Shivrajpur in Halol Mahal and Fanshi in Kalol Taluka.

Tagavi.—The total Tagavi demand of the year was Rs. 7,621 which was recovered fully as shown in Statement No. II.

With reference to Government Memorandum No. 4712, dated 22nd December 1915, Financial Department, the required information is as under:—

(*a*) The amount of Tagavi lent on the security of estate is Rs. 781
(*b*) Tagavi paid by any of the estates as surety ,, Nil.
(*c*) Amount recovered from tenants in respect of (*b*) ,, Nil.

Loans.—Details of advances are embodied in Statement III. The only advances in this District are those for maintenance granted to the Talukdars in Jhalod Mahal. No fresh loan was advanced during the year and the instalments due for repayment together with interest thereon were repaid leaving the balance of Rs. 1,650 as outstanding at the close of the year (1922-23).

PART III.—Management of Estates.

During the year management was withdrawn from Vandeli and Nathujinu Muvadu estates in Godhra Taluka. There are 4 estates now remaining under management, *viz.*:—

A. *Under Court of Wards Act—*

(1) Mehlol (Godhra).

(2) Shivrajpur (Halol).

B. *Under Section 28 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act—*

(3) Kanpur (Kalol).

(4) Naranpaginu Muvadu (Kalol).

Mehlol.—The estate continues to be managed by a Japtidar aided by a clerk and 5 Talatis. The relations of the Japtidar and Thakor continue satisfactory. A scheme is at present under consideration for putting a portion of the forest area under a regular working plan and giving the remainder out for cultivation for which there is a keen demand. These arrangements when completed should mean a considerable increase in the income of the estate. The construction of a metalled road from Kharasalia to Mehlol for which plans and estimates have been prepared by the Public Works Department will be begun this year.

Shivrajpur.—The estate is managed by a Japtidar with the help of one Talati. The chief sources of income are mines and forests.

Kanpur and Naranpaginu Muvadu.—These are managed by the Talatis of neighbouring Government villages. Their heavy debts are being regularly reduced.

Statement IV shows the financial position of the estates under management. The decrease in the income in Shivrajpur is due to smaller receipts under rent and royalty and compensation during the year.

Collections of Rents.—Of the total rental demand of Rs. 30,414, Rs. 30,144 were recovered, Rs. 20 written off as irrecoverable and Rs. 250 were adjusted on account of Talukdar's maintenance at Kanpur and building a house at Naranpaginu Muvadu as shown in column 12 of Statement V. Thus there remains no balance for recovery.

PART IV.—Indebtedness.

Of the estates under management, only those of Kanpur and Naranpaginu Muvadu are in debt to private creditors. During the year Rs. 1,494 were paid towards the liquidation of these debts which at the close thereof stood at Rs. 5,908.

The amount due to private creditors as it stood at the end of 1921-22 was shown to be Rs. 6,841 in last year's report. But the amount at the beginning of 1922-23 is Rs. 7,178. The discrepancy is due to the fact that hitherto interest was included in the amount shown as paid (Statement VI, column 14). Whereas only principal should have been shown in that column. The mistake is now rectified.

PART V.—Miscellaneous.

Cost of Management.—The cost of management comes to 12·4 per cent. of the gross income. The increase is due to the amount of Rs. 1,920 drawn by the Mehlol Japtidar for his revised pay for the last two years.

Co-operative Societies.—No new Co-operative Societies were started during the year.

Inspection and Test of Crops and Boundary Marks.—This was done in some of the estates by the Sub-Divisional Officers, visited by them.

Settlement Registers.—Two Circle Inspectors sanctioned by Government under Government Resolution No. 6114 of 28th March 1923, have been entertained, one for Godhra Taluka and other for Halol. The work is in progress. In Eastern Prant the work is done by ordinary Circle Inspectors.

The usual Statements I—VI accompany.

Your most obedient Servant,

(Sd.) W. C. TUDOR-OWEN,
Collector of Panch Mahals.

No. T. S. O. 554 of 1923

LIBRARY OF THE BOMBAY

FROM

G. H. COWAN, ESQ., I. C. S.,
Collector of Broach ;

TO

THE COMMISSIONER, N. D.,
Ahmedabad.

Camp Tankari, 4th/5th December 1923.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit my Report on the Administration of the Talukdari Estates of this District for the year ending 31st July 1923.

PART I.—PRELIMINARY AND TOUR.

1. *Charge.*—I was in charge during the whole year.

2. *Character of the Season.*—This has been described in the Land Revenue Administration Report for 1922-23. The rainfall was sufficient and the season was good.

3. *Tour.*—While on tour, the estates' accounts were audited.

PART II.—REVENUE ADMINISTRATION.

4. *Collection of Jama.*—Details of Talukawar demand, collection and arrears of Government Jama are given in Statement I. Of the total demand of Rs. 47,359 consisting of Rs. 30,640 on account of current year and Rs. 16,719 on account of past years, Rs. 44,383 were collected, Rs. 263 were remitted for the current year on account of diluvion. There remained arrears Rs. 2,713 at the end of the year.

5. *Collection of Tagavi.*—Statement II relates to Tagavi collection. The year's demand of Rs. 3,321 together with the previous years' arrears Rs. 81 was fully recovered.

The information required in accordance with Government Order, Finance Department, No. 4712, dated 22nd December 1915, is as under :—

(*a*) No Tagavi was advanced to tenants by Government on the security of estates.

(*b*) No amount was repaid by estates in respect of (*a*).

(*c*) No amount was recovered from tenants in respect of (*b*).

6. *Collection of Loan Account.*—Statement III, Part B, relating to loans advanced for debt settlement is submitted. The year commenced with a debt of Rs. 49,545. No new advance was made during the year. Rs. 1,747 accrued on account of interest for the year and the total demand was Rs. 51,292. Out of this, Rs. 44,040 were recovered, leaving Rs. 7,323 in arrears at the end of the year. There is over-collection of Rs. 71 in interest. All the estates that have gone out of management have paid up the loan debts due from them. No estate-owner was put to any loss in paying the loan debt. All the estate-owners were given sufficient time to raise money by mortgage, &c. In no case the estate's land had to be put to sale except in the case of Jashba Fatesang of Kerwada whose Jat Inam lands of Bhadkodra village in Jambusar Taluka were sold for paying the loan debt.

PART III.—Management of Estates.

7. *Classification of Estates.*—Out of 28 estates under management, the following estates were released from management during the year:

(1)	Chhatrasang Jitsang	...	Sigam. Jambusar.
(2)	Dadabawa Vakhatsang	...	,, ,,
(3)	Raisangji Jaswatsang	...	,, ,,
(4)	Uber Estate	...	,,
(5)	Tankari Estate	...	,,
(6)	Ganpatsang Jibawa	....	Sarod ,,
(7)	Dolatsang Raisang	...	,, ,,
(8)	Jasbha Fatesang	...	Kerwada Amod.
(9)	Gulabsang Abhesang	...	,, ,,
(10)	Udesang Ajabsang	...	,, ,,
(11)	Dadabawa Adesang, &c.	...	,,
(12)	Kesarisang Chhatrasang	...	,,
(13)	Jaswatsang ,,	...	,,
(14)	Jibawa ,,	...	,,
(15)	Himatsang ,,	...	,,
(16)	Bharatsang ,,	...	,,
(17)	Ramsang Bhagwansang	...	Tanchha ,,
(18)	Bai Gamanba	...	Keshwan Wagra.
(19)	Albha Nathan	...	Pahaj ,,
(20)	Fatesang Adesang	...	,, ,,
(21)	Sardarsang Sahebsang	...	,, ,,
(22)	Harisang Bhagwansang	...	,, ,,
(23)	Sardarsang Jorbha	...	,,

Five estates remained under management for the whole of the year. Of these five, the estate of Jesangbhai Himatsang of Tanchha has since been released from management under section 29 (*f*) of the Talukdari Act and there are now four estates managed under section 28 of the Talukdari Act. None of these estates has an income of Rs. 5,000 or above.

8. *Miscellaneous Estates.*—As remarked in para. 10 of the last year's report the owners of three estates of Pahaj in Wagra Taluka paid up the loan debts by mortgaging necessary land to the Thakor Saheb of Amod and these estates have consequently been released from management.

9. *General Administration in Managed Estates.*—The cost of management was 10·8 of the gross income of managed estates during the year.

Statement IV gives the general position of the estates showing the total income, expenditure and general financial condition.

10. *Collection of Rent.*—Statement V shows the figures of rent collections. The prosperity of the season was the cause of speedy collection of the estates' dues.

Out of the total demand of Rs. 5,939 consisting of Rs. 4,640 for the current year and Rs. 1,299 for the previous year, Rs. 4,693 were collected, Rs. 162 being old and irrecoverable arrears were written off and Rs. 871 were adjusted on account of rents of home farm (Gharkhed) lands given to the Talukdars for their maintenance. Rs. 213 remained as outstanding at the close of the year.

PART IV.—Indebtedness of Estates.

11. *Progress in Debt Settlement.*—Statement VI shows the progress made in liquidation of estates' debts. Many estates having private debts were released during the year. Most of the Government Debt Settlement Loan has been paid up and the balance will be paid up according to fixed instalments.

There were 13 Civil Courts' Darkhasts at the beginning of the year. Of these, 8 were disposed of by private settlement. One new Darkhast was received during the year. Thus there remain 6 Darkhasts at the end of the year.

12. *Sanction to create Encumbrances.*—No sanction was given with respect to Udhad Jamabandhia lands of any estate.

13. *Settlement Registers.*—The work of recording mutations is being attended to by Prants.

14. *Litigation.*—No suit in respect of the estates that now remain under management.

15. *Education.*—One boy of Amod studying at Nadiad and one boy of Dehej studying in the Parekh Technical Institute, Surat, continue to get the scholarships from the Talukdars' Jubilee Fund, Broach. Two boys of Amod are also given scholarships from this fund.

16. *General Remarks.*—All the estates having summary settled Wanta lands have gone out of management and those that now remain possess Rahet Wanta lands.

17. *Establishment.*—All the Talukdari establishment has been disbanded since 1st May 1923 except one Talati for the estates that are under management.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Sd.) G. H. COWAN,
Collector of Broach.

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REVIEW BY THE COMMISSIONER, NORTHERN DIVISION, ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE TALUKDARI ESTATES UNDER MANAGEMENT IN GUJARAT DURING THE YEAR 1922-23.

No. T. S. O. 84.

Ahmedabad, Shahi Bagh, W. D. No. 1,
30th January 1924.

Revenue Department.

Submitted to Government together with the reports from the Collectors of Ahmedabad, Kaira, Panch Mahals and Broach Districts.

2. The season was on the whole satisfactory. The rainfall in Kaira was slightly in excess while in the other three Districts it was below the average of the last five years. In Dhandhuka Taluka of the Ahmedabad District which has the largest number of Talukdari villages the rainfall was much below the average and 25 per cent. of the current demand was suspended--49 per cent. of the arrears was resuspended and 22 per cent. of the total demand was either remitted or written off. Except in Dholka Taluka of the Ahmedabad District where Rs. 500 on account of Jama of the current year were suspended, the demand for the current year was not suspended in any other Taluka of the Ahmedabad District. In the three other districts there were no suspensions.

3. The statistics relating to the demand, collection and balance of various kinds of Government dues, *viz.*, Jama, Tagavi and loans are given in Statements I, II and III appended to the Collector's Reports.

The year's demand in respect of Jama including arrears amounted to Rs. 8,19,738 of which Rs. 88,951 (or 10·8 per cent.) were written off or remitted, Rs. 1,53,462 (or 18·7 per cent.) were suspended and out of the balance of Rs. 5,77,325, Rs. 5,73,265 (or 99 per cent.) were recovered leaving a balance of Rs. 4,060 only as unauthorized arrears at the end of the year. This latter figure includes the sum of Rs. 3,659, the recovery of which had been postponed under orders of the Civil Court pending decision of the suit filed by the Thakor of Utelia in respect of Hariala and Kharanti villages of the Matar Taluka. The collections were satisfactory.

As in the case of Jama, the collection of Tagavi was also satisfactory. In Kaira, Panch Mahals and Broach Districts the amounts set down for collection were recovered in full, while in Ahmedabad, out of the total demand of Rs. 2,84,983, Rs. 10,351 (or 3·6 per cent.) were suspended, Rs. 2,399 were written off and Rs. 2,64,482 (including Rs. 10,623-voluntary payments) were recovered leaving a balance of Rs. 18,374 as unauthorized arrears at the end of the year.

The debt on account of Debt Settlement Loan was reduced from Rs. 3,59,081, to Rs. 224,465 or by 37·5 per cent as against 18·4 per cent. in the previous year. The bulk of these arrears are confined to the Dhandhuka Taluka which is responsible to the extent of Rs. 1,84,586.

There was also a very satisfactory reduction in the debts due on account of maintenance loans. The old arrears of the maintenance loans of famine years 1899-1900 to 1905-06 were recovered in full while the arrears of maintenance loans advanced during 1911-12 and subsequent years were reduced from Rs. 30,030 to Rs. 8,678 or by 71·1 per cent. as against 41 per cent. in the preceding year.

4 As mentioned in para. 4 of the last year's review, appreciable reduction was made in the number of estates under management. The following table shows the progess made in this direction during the last ten years. Attention

is now being concentrated on the protection of really sound and solvent estates which are worth an effort to preserve and restore :—

At the end of the year.	No. of estates under management.
1913-14 ...	632.
1918-19 ...	334.
1922-23 ...	129.

5. The financial position of the estates under management is shown in Statement IV. The expenditure was within the income and the total liabilities were reduced. The cost of management amounted to 10 per cent. of the gross income recovered.

6. The collections of rents due to estates under management are shown in Statement V. Out of the gross demand of Rs. 4,95,970, Rs. 3,57,917 (including Rs. 3,289 over-collections) were recovered, Rs. 18,034 were written off and Rs. 11,387 were adjusted on account of lands given to Talukdars for maintenance leaving a balance of Rs. 1,11,921 as arrears at the end of the year. It may be noted that 92·2 per cent. of the demand of the current year was recovered, while of the arrears mentioned above, Rs. 96,603 were on account of previous years.

7. Statement VI shows the progress made in the liquidation of debts. The total debt has been reduced from Rs. 6,78,277 to Rs. 6,44,047.

8. The high cost of living and the apathy of Talukdars in general towards the education of their children, which were commented upon in the last year's review have further tended to reduce the number of students in the Talukdari Hostels at Dhandhuka and Nadiad from 17 to 15 in the case of the former and from 10 to 6 in the case of the latter. The maintenance of the large hostel at Nadiad for so small a number of boys is not an economical arrangement and the Collector is looking into the matter.

9. It is satisfactory to learn from the Collector of Ahmedabad's Report that Revenue Officers of all grades are now beginning to take a direct personal interest in and to acquire knowledge and experience of the Talukdari problems.

(Sd.) F. PRATT,
Commissioner, N. D.

STATEMENTS.

STATEMENT 1.—(Ahmedabad).

Statement showing Talukavar collection and arrears of Jama and Local Fund Cess in the Talukdari villages of the Ahmedabad District during the year 1922-1923.

No.	Name of Taluka or Mahal.	Demand.			Collections.			Amount written off.	Balance.					Remarks.
		Current.	Arrears.	Total.	Current.	Arrears.	Total.		Suspended Arrears.		Unsuspended Arrears.			
									Current.	Past years.	Current.	Past years.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Dhandhuka	1,81,668	1,61,290	3,42,958	1,32,850	7,187	1,40,037	76,835	46,040	79,878		168	1,26,086	
2	Dholka	82,025	47,966	1,29,991*	80,542	38,827	1,19,369	983	500	9,139			9,639	
3	Prantij	17,091	8,220	25,311	17,091	4,987	22,078			3,000		233	3,233	
4	Viramgam	42,364	23,149	65,513	41,597	17,859	59,456	2,867		3,190			3,190	
5	Gogho	33,360	748	34,108	33,360		33,360			748			748	
6	Medasa	1,668	74	1,742	1,668	37	1,705			37			37	
7	Sanand	43,470	14,853	58,323	36,660	10,514	47,174	6,803		4,346			4,346	
	Total	4,01,646	2,56,300	6,57,946	3,43,768	79,411	4,23,179	87,488	46,540	1,00,337		401	1,47,279	

* Difference due to the village of Baroda having been transferred from the jurisdiction of the Ahmedabad District to the Kaira District.

(Sd.) J. H. GARRETT,
Collector and Talukdari Settlement Officer.

STATEMENT I.— (Kaira).

Statement showing Talukavar arrears, demand and collection of Jama with Local Fund in the Talukdari villages during the year 1922-1923.

No.	Name of District.	Name of Taluka.	Demand.			Collection.			Balance.					Total.	Remarks.
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	Current.	Arrears.	Total.	Amount written off.	Suspended Arrears.		Unauthorized Arrears.			
										Current.	Past years.	Current.	Past years.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Kaira	Anand	11,396	4,594	15,990	11,396	4,594	15,990							
2	Do.	Borsad	21,962		21,962	21,962		21,962							
3	Do.	Matar	*5,561	†7,079	12,640	4,213	897	5,110			3,871	1,348	2,311	7,530	
4	Do.	Thasra	7,063	2,054	9,117	7,063	2,054	9,117							
		Total	45,982	13,727	59,709	44,634	7,545	52,179			3,871	1,348	2,311	7,530	

*The increase of Rs. 1,156 over the last year's figure is due to the following reasons :—

+ of Rs. 1,561 on account of Jama of Baroda Village transferred from Dholka Taluka of the Ahmedabad District to Matar Taluka of the Kaira District.

—of Rs. 5 decrease in Local Fund Cess as the area of Barbari unoccupied land had increased in Hariala and Kharanti.

†The increase of Rs. 1,561 over the last year's figure (col. 15 of last years return I) is due to the arrears of Baroda village.

(Sd.) H. K. KIRPALANI,
Collector of Kaira.

STATEMENT I.—(Panch Mahals).

Statement showing arrears, demand and collection of Jama with Local Fund in the Talukdari Estates of Panch Mahals District during the year 1922-1923.

No.	Name of Taluka.	Name of estate.	Demand.			Collection.			Amount written off.	Balance.				Total.	Remarks.
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	Current.	Arrears.	Total.		Suspended arrears.		Unauthorized arrears.			
										Current.	Past.	Current.	Past.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Godhra	Mehlol	8,466		8,466	8,466		8,466							
2	Do.	Asardi	663		663	663		663							
3	Do.	Metral	3,300		3,300	3,300		3,300							
4	Do.	Bordi	465		465	465		465							
5	Do.	Chhanip	116	58	174	116	58	174							
6	Do.	Wadi	3,025		3,025	3,025		3,025							
7	Do.	Vallavpur	2,342		2,342	2,342		2,342							
8	Do.	Vandeli	1,427		1,427	1,427		1,427							
9	Do.	Nathujinu Muvadu	264	132	396	264	132	396							
		Total	20,068	190	20,258	20,068	190	20,258							
1	Kalol	Eral	2,434		2,434	2,434		2,434							
2	Do.	Adadra	1,196		1,196	1,196		1,196							
3	Do.	Ambalanu Muvadu	182		182	182		182							
4	Do.	Karoli	327		327	327		327							
5	Do.	Kanod	1,267		1,267	1,267		1,267							
6	Do.	Kanpur	351		351	351		351							
7	Do.	Gajapura	45		45	45		45							
8	Do.	Chalali	494		494	494		494							
9	Do.	Narainpaginu Muvadu	554		554	554		554							

10	Do.	Paruna	263		263	263		263		
11	Do.	Pingli	1,908		1,908	1,908		1,908		
12	Do.	Fanshi	102		102	102		102		
13	Do.	Bedia	2,684		2,684	2,684		2,684		Increase of Re. 1 is due to fractions.
14	Do.	Bodidra	1,063		1,063	1,063		1,063		
15	Do.	Bhukhi	618		618	618		618		
16	Do.	Bhadroli Khurad	436		436	436		436		
17	Do.	Bhelidra	456		456	456		456		
18	Do.	Mokal	634		634	634		634		
19	Do.	Rinchhia	84		84	84		84		
20	Do.	Royan	157		157	157		157		
21	Do.	Vyasda	1,612		1,612	1,612		1,612		
22	Do.	Vintoz	280		280	280		280		
		Total	17,147		17,147	17,147		17,147		
1	Halol	Kanjari	6,210		6,210	6,210		6,210		
2	Do.	Bhamaria	2,072		2,072	2,072		2,072		
3	Do.	Shivrajpur	482		482	482		482		Increase of Re. 1 is due to fractions.
		Total	8,764		8,764	8,764		8,764		
1	Jhalod	Limdi (including Lilwa)	6,360		6,360	5,360		5,360	1,000	
2	Do.	Golana	2,195		2,195	1,995		1,995	200	
		Total	8,555		8,555	7,355		7,355	1,200‡	‡ Remission on account of opium compensation.
		Grand Total	54,530	190	54,724	53,334	190	53,524	1,200	

(Sd.) W. C. TUDOR-OWEN,
Collector, Panch Mahals.

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STATEMENT I.—(Broach).

Statement showing Talukavar arrears, demand and collection of Jama with Local Fund Cess in the Talukdari Wantas of Broach District during 1922-1923.

No.	Name of District.	Name of Taluka.	Demand.			Collection.			Amount written off.	Balance.				Total.	Remarks.
			Current.	Arrears.	Total.	Current.	Arrears.	Total.		Suspended arrears.		Unauthorised arrears.			
										Current.	Past years.	Current.	Past years.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Broach	Jambusar	290	143	433	290	143	433							
2	Do.	Amod	21,668	9,697	31,365	21,668	9,697	31,365							
3	Do.	Wagra	8,682	6,879	15,561	8,419	4,166	12,585	263		2,713			2,713	
		Total	30,640	16,719	47,359	30,377	14,006	44,383	263		2,713			2,713	

(Sd.) G. H. COWAN,
Collector, Broach.

STATEMENT II.—(Ahmedabad).

Statement showing Talukavar demand, collection and arrears of Tagavi in Talukdari villages of the Ahmedabad District during the year 1922-1923.

No.	Name of Taluka or Mahal.	Demand of the year.			Amount collected.	Amount written off or remitted.	Balance of the year's demand at the end of the year.			Remarks.
		Unauthorised arrears.	Current demand.	Total.			Suspended arrears.	Unsuspended arrears.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Dhandhuka		1,44,649	1,44,649	1,46,243*	1,525		7,504	7,504	*Includes Rs. 10,623 of voluntary payment.
2	Dholka	4,963	37,813	42,776	33,058		9,718		9,718	
3	Prantij		13,008	13,008	12,415		593		593	
4	Viramgam	3,127	25,717	28,844	26,813	874		1,157	1,157	
5	Gogha		33,364	33,364	22,651			9,713	9,713	
6	Modasa		2,399	2,399	2,399					
7	Sanand		19,943	19,943	19,903		40		40	
	Total	8,090	2,76,893	2,84,983	2,64,482	2,399	10,351	18,374	28,725	

(Sd.) J. H. GARRETT,
Collector and Talukdari Settlement Officer.

STATEMENT II.—(Kaira).

Statement showing Talukavar arrears, demand and collection of Tagavi during the year 1922-1923.

No.	Name of District.	Name of Taluka.	Demand of the year.			Amount collected.	Amount written off or remitted	Balance of the year's demand at the end of the year.			Remarks.
			Unauthorised arrears.	Current demand.	Total.			Suspended arrears.	Unsuspended arrears.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Kaira	Thasra		4,367	4,367	4,367					
2	Do.	Matar	169*	468	637	662†					†Rs. 25 over-collected.
3	Do.	Borsad		8,833	8,833	8,833					
4	Do.	Anand		4,226	4,226	4,226					
		Total	169	17,894	18,063	18,088					

* The sum of Rs. 169 of unauthorised arrears shewn in column 4 pertains to Baroda village transferred to Matar Taluka during the year under report.

(Sd.) H. K. KIRPALANI,
Collector of Kaira.

STATEMENT II.—(Panch Mahals).

Statement showing arrears, demand and collections of Tagavi in the Talukdari Estates of Panch Mahals District during the year 1922-1923.

No.	Name of Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Demand of the year.			Amount collected.	Amount written off or remitted.	Balance of the year's demand at the end of 30-9-23.			Remarks.
			Unauthorised arrears.	Current demand.	Total.			Suspended arrears.	Unauthorised arrears.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Godhra	Metral		1,204	1,204	1,204					
2	Do.	Wadi	15	1,105	1,120	1,120					
3	Do.	Chhanip		29	29	29					
4	Do.	Nathujinu Muvadu		287	287	287					
5	Do.	Vandeli		204	204	204					
6	Do.	Bordi		67	67	67					
7	Do.	Mehlol		142	142	142					
8	Do.	Vallavpur		461	461	461					
9	Do.	Asardi									
		Total	15	3,499	3,514	3,514					
1	Kalol	Ambalanu Muvadu		21	21	21					
2	Do.	Adadra		17	17	17					
3	Do.	Karoli		115	115	115					
4	Do.	Kanod		107	107	107					
5	Do.	Chalali		103	103	103					
6	Do.	Pingli		73	73	73					
7	Do.	Bodidra		114	114	114					
8	Do.	Rinchhia		158	158	158					
9	Do.	Vyasda		101	101	101					
10	Do.	Kanpur		60	60	60					
11	Do.	Fansi		11	11	11					
12	Do.	Bhadroli Khurad		71	71	71					
13	Do.	Mokal		26	26	26					
14	Do.	Bedia		140	140	140					
		Total		1,117	1,117	1,117					
1	Jhalod	Limdi		993	993	993					
2	Do.	Lilwa		516	516	516					
3	Do.	Golana		1,481	1,481	1,481					
		Total		2,990	2,990	2,990					
		Grand Total	15	7,606	7,621	7,621					

(Sd.) W. C. TUDOR-OWEN,
Collector, Panch Mahals.

STATEMENT II.—(Broach).

Statement showing Talukavar arrears, demand and collection of Tagavi during 1922-1923, Broach District.

No.	Name of District.	Name of Taluka.	Demand of the year.			Amount collected.	Amount written off.	Balance of the year's demand at the end of the year.			Remarks.
			Unauthorised arrears.	Current demand.	Total.			Suspended arrears.	Unauthorised arrears.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Broach	Jambusar									
2	Do.	Amod	81	2,649	2,730	2,730					
3	Do.	Wagra		672	672	672					
		Total	81	3,321	3,402	3,402					

(Sd.) G. H. COWAN,
Collector, Broach.

STATEMENT III--PART A.—(Ahmedabad).

Statement showing Talukavar demand, collection and arrears of Loans advanced under Act VI of 1862.

No.	Name of Taluka or Mahal.	Balance outstanding on 1st October 1922 as per Ledger.			Interest for 1922-23.	Total of Columns 5 and 6.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount repaid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923 as per Ledger.			Remarks.
		Principal.	Interest.	Total.			Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Dhandhuka	16,852	962	17,814	680	18,494	1,087	969	2,056	1,087	969	2,056	15,765	671	16,436	
2	Sanand	35,189	4,501	39,690	1,515	41,205	499	4,501	5,000	499	4,501	5,000	34,690	1,515	36,205	
	Total	52,041	5,463	57,504	2,195	59,699	1,586	5,470	7,056	1,586	5,470	7,056	50,455	2,186	52,641	

(Sd.) J. H. GARRETT,
Collector and Talukdari Settlement Officer.

STATEMENT III—PART B.—(Ahmedabad).

Statement showing Talukavar demand, collection and arrears of Loans advanced for Debt Settlement as per Government Resolution No. 11193, Revenue Department, dated the 11th November 1907.

No.	Name of Taluka or Mahal.	Balance outstanding on 1st October 1922 as per Ledger.			New advances made during the year.	Interest for 1922-23.	Total of Columns 5, 6 and 7.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount repaid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923 as per Ledger.			Remarks.
		Principal.	Interest.	Total.				Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Dhandhuka	2,02,394	24,775	2,27,169		12,775	2,39,944	37,757	17,601	55,358	37,757	17,601	55,358	1,64,637	19,949	1,84,586	
2	Dholka	12,836	8,638	21,474*		1,279	22,753	2,870	2,470	5,340	2,870	2,470	5,340	9,966	7,447	17,413	
3	Prantij	214	164	378		13	391	214	177	391	214	177	391				
4	Viramgam	10,203	861	11,064		497	11,561	6,257	967	7,224	6,257	967	7,224	3,946	391	4,337	
5	Gogha	1,603	140	1,743		77	1,820	1,417	202	1,619	1,417	202	1,619	186	15	201	
6	Sanand	3,565	352	3,917		193	4,110	2,832	227	3,059	2,832	227	3,059	733	318	1,051	
	Total	2,30,815	34,930	2,65,745		14,834	2,80,579	51,347	21,644	72,991	51,347	21,644	72,991	1,79,468	28,120	2,07,588	

* The jurisdiction of the Baroda village of the Dholka Taluka having been transferred to the Matar Taluka of the Kaira District all the amount due from that estate has been deducted from the outstanding balance. Hence the figures of the opening balance will not tally with those of the closing balance of last year.

(Sd.) J. H. GARRETT,
Collector and Talukdari Settlement Officer.

STATEMENT III—PART C.—(Ahmedabad).

Statement showing Talukavar demand, collection and arrears of Loans advanced for Maintenance during the famine years of 1899-1900 and 1905-1906.

No.	Name of Taluka or Mahal.	Balance outstanding on 1st October 1922 as per Ledger.			Interest for 1922-23.	Total of Columns 5 and 6.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount repaid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923 as per Ledger.			Remarks.
		Principal.	Interest.	Total.			Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Dholka	104	128	232	8	240	104	136	240	104	136	240				
2	Viramgam	82	5	87	3	90	82	8	90	82	8	90				
	Total	186	133	319	11	330	186	144	330	186	144	330				

(Sd.) J. H. GARRETT,
Collector and Talukdari Settlement Officer.

STATEMENT III—PART D.—(Ahmedabad).

Statement showing Talukavar demand, collection and arrears of Loans for Maintenance advanced during the year 1911–1912 and subsequent years.

No.	Name of Taluka or Mahal.	Balance outstanding on 1st October 1922 as per Ledger.			New advances made during the year.	Interest for 1922-23.	Total of Columns 5 6 and 7.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount repaid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923 as per Ledger.			Remarks.
		Principal.	Interest.	Total.				Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Dhandhuka	3,805	442	4,247		164	4,411	3,103	514	3,617	3,103	514	3,617	702	92	794	
2	Dholka	10,692	1,037	11,729*		552	12,281	5,885	1,064	6,949	5,885	1,064	6,949	4,807	525	5,332	
3	Viramgam	253	59	312		15	327	77	58	135	77	58	135	176	16	192	
4	Gogha	66	26	92		6	98							66	32	98	
5	Prantij	1,053	107	1,160		23	1,183	1,053	128	1,181	1,053	128	1,181		2	2	
6	Sanand																
	Total	15,869	1,671	17,540		760	18,300	10,118	1,764	11,882	10,118	1,764	11,882	5,751	667	6,418	

* The jurisdiction of the Baroda village of the Dholka Taluka having been transferred to the Matar Taluka of the Kaira District all the amount due from that estate has been deducted from the outstanding balance. Hence the figures of the opening balance will not tally with those of the closing balance of last year.

(Sd.) J. H. GARRETT,
Collector and Talukdari Settlement Officer.

STATEMENT III—PART B.—(Kaira).

Statement showing Talukavar arrears, demand and collection of Loans advanced for Debt Settlement, Government Resolution No. 11193, dated 16th November 1907, R. D.

No.	Name of District.	Name of Taluka.	Balance outstanding on 1st October 1922, as per Ledger.			New advances made during the year.	Interest for 1922-23.	Total of Cols. 6, 7 and 8.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount repaid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923 as per Ledger.			Remarks.
			Principal.	Interest.	Total.				Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Kaira	Anand	7,728	641	8,369		289	8,658	2,859	641	3,500	7,728	930	8,658				
2	Do.	Borsad	9,214	5,485	14,699		298	14,997		3,014	3,014	6,934	4,473	11,407	2,280	1,310	3,590	
3	Do.	Thasra	18,703	1,762	20,465		819	21,284	6,729	1,692	8,421	13,134	2,186	15,320	5,569	395	5,964	
4	Do.	Matar	217	41	*258		9	267	217	50	267	217	50	267				
		Total	35,862	7,929	43,791		1,415	45,206	9,805	5,397	15,202	28,013	7,639	35,652	7,849	1,705	9,554	

* Increase of Rs. 258 is due to Baroda village transferred from Dholka Taluka to Matar Taluka during the year under report.

(Sd.) H. K. KIRPALANI,
Collector of Kaira.

STATEMENT III—PART D.—(Kaira).

Statement showing Talukavar arrears, demand and collection of Loans advanced for Maintenance during the Scarcity of 1918-1919.

No.	Name of District.	Name of Taluka.	Balance outstanding on 1st October 1922 as per Ledger.			New advances made during the year.	Interest for 1922-23.	Total of Columns 6, 7 and 8.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount repaid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923 as per Ledger.			Remarks.
			Principal.	Interest.	Total.				Principal	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Kaira	Borsad	6,251	1,302	7,553		119	7,672	47	14	61	5,986	1,385	7,371	265	36	301	
2	Do.	Mehmedabad	226	45	271		6	277	225	45	270	226	51	277				
3	Do.	Nadiad	506	49	555		24	579	221	49	270	221	49	270	285	24	309	
4	Do.	Matar	1,263	119	1,382*		57	1,439	1,263	176	1,439	1,263	176	1,439				
		Total	8,246	1,515	9,761		206	9,967	1,756	284	2,040	7,696	1,661	9,357	550	60	610	

* Rs. 1,382 are on account of Baroda estate transferred to Matar Taluka during the year.

(Sd.) H. K. KIRPALANI,
Collector of Kaira.

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STATEMENT III.—(Panch Mahals).

Statement showing Talukavar demand and collection of Loans for Maintenance granted to Talukdars in the Panch Mahals District during the year 1922-23.

No.	Name of Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Balance outstanding on 30th September 1922.			New advances made during the year.	Interest for 1922-1923.	Total of Columns 6, 7 and 8.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount paid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923.			Remarks.
			Principal.	Interest.	Total.				Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Jhalod	Limdi	2,500	229	2,729		113	2,842	1,000	192	1,192	1,000	192	1,192	1,500	150	1,650	
		Lilwa																
		Golana																
		Total	2,500	229	2,729		113	2,842	1,000	192	1,192	1,000	192	1,192	1,500	150	1,650	

(Sd.) W. C. TUDOR-OWEN,
Collector of Panch Mahals.

STATEMENT III—PART B.—(Broach).

Statement showing Talukavar arrears, demand and collection of Loans advanced for Debt Settlement, Broach District, 1922-1923.

No.	Name of District.	Name of Taluka.	Balance outstanding on 1st October 1922.			New advances made during the year.	Interest for 1922-23.	Total of Columns 6, 7 and 8.	Amount fixed for repayment during the year.			Amount repaid during the year.			Balance outstanding on 30th September 1923.			Remarks.
			Principal.	Interest.	Total.				Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	Principal.	Interest.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	R. s	
1	Broach	Amod	9,175	1,253	10,428		547	10,975	2,335	1,339	3,674	2,335	1,339	3,674	6,840	483	7,323	+Rs. 22 Excess recovery.
2	Do.	Jambusar	25,975	4,296	30,271		940	31,211	25,975	5,270	31,245	25,975	5,270	31,245				+Rs. 34 Excess recovery.
3	Do.	Wagra	8,025	821	8,846		260	9,106	8,025	1,096	9,121	8,025	1,096	9,121				+Rs. 15 Excess recovery.
		Total	43,175	6,370	49,545		1,747	51,292	36,335	7,705	44,040	36,335	7,705	44,040	6,840	483	7,323	+Rs. 71 Excess recovery.

(Sd.) G. H. COWAN,
Collector of Broach.

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STATEMENT IV.

STATEMENT IV.

Statement showing the General Position of Talukdari Estates in Gujarat under Government Management during the year 1922-23 (consolidated by the Commissioner, N. D.).

[Details are given only for Estates with Gross Income of Rs. 5,000 and above. Figures for other Estates are lumped together.]

Serial No.	District.	Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Total gross income, recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance at credit of the Estate.		Total liabilities.	Cost of management.	Percentage of Column 10 on gross income.	Remarks.
						Invested.	Uninvested.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			1. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER THE COURT OF WARDS ACT.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
1	Kaira	Thasra	Janod—Natvarsangji Prithisangji	29,603	18,970		15,952		2,310	7·8	
2	Do.	Anand	Ahima—Prathiraj Jasvatsangji	18,384	8,984	7,234	12,217		1,132	6·2	
3	Panch Mahals	Godhra	Mehlol—Raisangji Naharsangji	36,340	35,575	1,20,800	25,946		4,495	12·3	
4	Do.	Halol	Shivrajpur—Kesarisang Vajesang	17,444	13,983	77,540	22,634		2,220	12·7	
5 to 13	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	11,510	11,652	5,700	6,577	38,397	1,076	9·3	
14	Kaira										
			Divisional Total	1,13,281	89,164	2,11,274	83,326	38,397	11,233	9·9	
			2. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER THE GUARDIANS AND WARDS ACT.								
1	Ahmedabad	Dholka	Sherjumakhanji Shermahomedkhanji	19,348	16,414		5,383	8,155	1,815	9·3	
2 to 3	Do.		Small Estates	8,283	8,117		2,009	25,776	1,000	12·	
4	Kaira										
			Divisional Total	27,631	24,531		7,392	33,931	2,815	10·2	
			3. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER THE CIVIL PROCEDURE CODE, SCHEDULE III, PARA. 7.								
1 to 6	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	1,016	1,214		579	28,552	106	10·4	
			4. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER THE CIVIL PROCEDURE CODE, ORDER 40, RULE 5.								
1 to 5	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	1,788	2,000						

			5. Estates managed under Section 27 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.						
1	Ahmedabad	Viramgam	Bhankoda Bapuji Pratapsang and others.	58,188	46,514		11,674	9,336	6,462	11·1
2	Do.	Do.	Chhaniar Himatsang Amarsangji	13,753	4,435		9,318	155	1,625	11·8
3 to 6	Do.		Small Estates	3,163	3,510		221		374	11·8
			Divisional Total ...	75,104	54,459		21,213	9,493	8,461	11·2
			6. Estates managed under Section 28 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.							
1	Ahmedabad	Dhandhuka	Dholera—Halabhai Jaswatsang and others.	12,398	11,686	30	4,649	16,352	1,094	8·8
2	Do.	Viramgam	Aghar—Sadaji Kasuji and others	8,178	9,004		171	11,998	803	9·8
3 to 54	Do.									
55 to 59	Kaira		Small Estates	1,09,329	1,02,827	3,900	31,753	3,47,904	9,500	8·7
60 to 61	Panch Mahals									
62 to 66	Broach									
			Divisional Total	1,29,905	1,23,517	3,930	36,573	3,76,254	11,397	8·8
			7. Estates managed under Section 144, Land Revenue Code.							
1 to 19	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	19,815	18,386	331	9,720		1,688	8·5
			8. Estates managed under Mortgage-deeds for Loan and Tagavi Debts due to Government.							
			(*a*) *Formerly managed under Act VI of 1862.*							
1 to 3	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	8,225	8,447		381	53,868	440	5·3
			(*b*) *Others.*							
1	Ahmedabad	Dhandhuka	The Secretary of State for India in Council as mortgagee of Gorasu and Padana villages of Gamph Estate.	30,214	35,559		5,171	1,25,132	6,328	20·9
2 to 5	Do.		Small Estates	1,942	2,180		173	45,201	227	11·7
6	Kaira									
			Divisional Total ...	32,156	37,739		5,344	1,70,333	6,555	20·4

STATEMENT IV—*contd.*

Serial No.	District.	Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Total gross income recovered.	Total gross expenditure.	Balance at credit of the Estate.		Total liabilities.	Cost of management.	Percentage of column 10 on gross income.	Remarks.
						Invested.	Uninvested.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			ABSTRACT.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
			Number of Estates.								
			Totals under 1	14	1,13,281	89,164	2,11,274	83,326	38,397	11,233	9·9
			„ „ 2	4	27,631	24,631		7,392	33,931	2,815	10·2
			„ „ 3	6	1,016	1,214		579	28,552	106	10·4
			„ „ 4	5	1,783	2,666		629	7,714	212	11·8
			„ „ 5	6	75,104	54,459		21,213	9,493	8,461	11·2
			„ „ 6	66	1,29,905	1,23,517	3,930	36,573	3,76,254	11,397	8·8
			„ „ 7	19	19,815	18,386	331	9,720		1,688	8·5
			„ „ 8 (*a*)	3	8,225	8,447		381	53,868	440	5·3
			„ „ 8 (*b*)	6	32,156	37,739		5,344	1,70,333	6,555	20·4
			Grand Total	129	4,08,916	3,60,123	2,15,535	1,65,157	7,18,542	42,907	10·5

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STATEMENT V.

Statement showing the Efficiency of Rent Collections of Talukdari Estates in Gujarat under Government Management during the year 1922-23 (consolidated by the Commissioner, N. D.).

[Details are given only for Estates with Gross Income of Rs. 5,000 and above. Figures for other Estates are lumped together.]

Serial No.	District.	Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Demands.			Collections.			Amount written off.	Adjustments and remissions on account of Talukdars' maintenance.	Balance.				Remarks.
				Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.	Total.			Converted into bonds or decrees.	Others.		Total.	
													Current.	Arrears.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			1. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER THE COURT OF WARDS ACT.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Kaira	Thasra	Janed—Natvarsangji Prithisangji	19,789	15,171	34,960	21,694*	8,607	30,301	3,416			1,341	3,179	4,520	* Includes Rs. 3,277 over-collections.
2	Do.	Anand	Ahima—Prathiarj Jasvatsangji	9,216	9,189	18,405	9,953	5,242	14,295	3,365	78		8	659	667	
3	Panch Mahals	Godhra	Mehlol—Raisangji Naharsangji	19,673	84	19,757	19,665	84	19,749	8						
4	Do.	Halol	Shivrajpur—Kesarisang Vajesang	7,955		7,955	7,953		7,953	2						
5 to 13 14	Ahmedabad Kaira	}	Small Estates	8,943	4,626	13,569	8,281	1,022	9,803	330			670	3,266	3,936	
			Divisional Total	65,576	29,070	94,646	66,646	14,955	81,601	7,121	78		2,019	7,104	9,123	
			2. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER THE GUARDIANS AND WARDS ACT.													
1	Ahmedabad	Dholka	Sher Jumakhanji Shermahomedkhanji.	16,030	8,777	24,807	12,244	3,991	16,235	452			3,752	4,368	8,120	
2 to 3 4	Do. Kaira	}	Small Estates	7,832	3,572	11,404	7,684	508	8,192	68	100		48	2,996	3,044	
			Divisional Total	23,862	12,349	36,211	19,928	4,499	24,427	520	100		3,800	7,364	11,164	

STATEMENT V—*contd.*

Serial No.	District.	Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Demands.			Collections.			Amount written off.	Adjustments and remissions on account of Talukdars' maintenance.	Balance.				Remarks.
				Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.	Total.			Converted into bonds or decrees.	Others.		Total.	
													Current.	Arrears.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
			3. Estates managed under the Civil Procedure Code, Schedule III, Para. 7.													
1 to 6	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	905	116	1,021	901	112	1,013				4	4	8	
			4. Estates managed under the Civil Procedure Code, Order 40, Rule 5.													
1 to 5	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	1,540	303	1,843	1,518	7	1,525				22	296	318	
			5. Estates managed under Section 27 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.													
1	Ahmedabad	Viramgam	Bhankoda—Bapuji Pratapsang and others.	64,643		64,643	58,113		58,113	56	6,207		267		267	
2	Do.	Do.	Chhaniar—Himatsangji Amarsangji and others.	16,250		16,250	13,753		13,753	15	2,482					
3 to 6	Do.		Small Estates	3,815	537	4,352	3,161	2	3,163	14	605		35	535	570	
			Divisional Total	84,708	537	85,245	75,027	2	75,029	85	9,294		302	535	837	
			6. Estates managed under Section 28 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.													
1	Ahmedabad	Dhandhuka	Dholera—Halabhai Jaswatsang and others	11,695	14,128	25,823	11,639	258	11,897	423			56	13,447	13,503	
2	Do.	Viramgam	Aghar—Sadaji Kasuji and others	8,045	261	8,306	8,021	157	8,178				24	104	128	

3 to 54	Do.														
55 to 59	Kaira														
60 to 61	Panch Mahals		Small Estates	92,792	73,967	1,66,759	84,057	12,942	96,999	4,006	1,915		6,981	56,858	63,839	
62 to 66	Broach														
			Divisional Total	1,12,532	88,356	2,00,888	1,08,717	13,357	1,17,074	4,429	1,915		7,061	70,409	77,470	
			7. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER SECTION 144 OF THE LAND REVENUE CODE.													
1 to 19	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	16,762	9,111	25,873	16,107	2,358	18,465	4,697			587	2,123	2,710	
			8. ESTATES MANAGED UNDER MORTGAGE DEEDS FOR LOAN AND TAGAVI DEBTS DUE TO GOVERNMENT.													
			(a) Formerly managed under Act VI of 1862.													
1 to 3	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	6,600	3,998	10,598	6,600	27	6,627	1,150				2,821	2,821	
			(b) Others.													
1	Ahmedabad	Dhandhuka	The Secretary of State for India in Council as mortgagee of Gorasu and Padana villages of Gamph Estate.	30,254	5,302	35,556	29,157	1,057	30,214	8			1,089	4,245	5,334	
1 to 5	Do.		Small Estates	2,120	1,969	4,089	1,674*	268	1,942	24			434	1,701	2,135	*Includes Rs. 12 over-collections.
6	Kaira															
			Divisional Total	32,374	7,271	39,645	30,831	1,325	32,156	32			1,523	5,946	7,469	

STATEMENT V—*concld.*

Serial No.	District.	Taluka.	Name of Estate.		Demands.			Collections.			Amount written off.	Adjustments and remissions on account of Talukdars' maintenance.	Converted into bonds or decrees.	Balance.			Remarks.
					Current.	Arrears.	Total.	On account of current year.	On account of arrears.	Total.				Others.		Total.	
														Current.	Arrears.		
1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
			Abstract.	Number of Estates.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
			Totals under 1	14	65,576	29,070	94,646	66,646	14,955	81,601	7,121	78		2,019	7,104	9,123	
			Do. 2	4	23,862	12,349	36,211	19,928	4,499	24,427	520	100		3,800	7,364	11,164	
			Do. 3	6	905	116	1,021	901	112	1,013				4	4	8	
			Do. 4	5	1,540	303	1,843	1,518	7	1,525				22	296	318	
			Do. 5	6	84,708	537	85,245	75,027	2	75,029	85	9,294		302	535	837	
			Do. 6	66	112,532	88,356	200,888	103,717	13,357	1,17,074	4,429	1,915		7,061	70,409	77,470	
			Do. 7	19	16,762	9,111	25,873	16,107	2,358	18,465	4,697			587	2,124	2,711	
			Do. 8 (*a*)	3	6,600	3,998	10,598	6,600	27	6,627	1,150				2,821	2,821	
			Do. 8 (*b*)	6	32,374	7,271	39,645	30,831	1,325	32,156	32			1,523	5,946	7,469	
			Grand Total	129	3,44,859	1,51,111	4,95,970	3,21,275*	36,642	3,57,917	18,034	11,387		15,316	96,603	1,11,921	* Includes Rs. 3,289 as over-collections.

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STATEMENT VI.

STATEMENT

Statement showing Progress made in the Liquidation of Debt in Talukdari Estates in Gujarat

[Details are given only for Estates with gross income of Rs. 5,000

Serial No.	District.	Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Debts owed to private Creditors and								
				Claims originally submitted to Talukdari Settlement Officer.	Balance of Debts at beginning of year.		Additional Debts incurred during the year.				Debts	
					Due to private Creditors.	Due to Government for Debt Settlement Loans	To private Creditors.		To Government for Debt Settlement Loans.		by Talukdari Settlement Officer or Civil Court.	by or Remitted Government or Private Creditors.
							Principal.	Interest.	Principal.	Interest.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
			1. Estates managed under the Court of Wards Act.									
1	Kaira	Thasra	Janod—Natvarsangji Prithisangji	31,799		4,881				98		
2	Do.	Anand	Ahima—Prathiraj Jasvatsangji	716								
3	Panch Mahals	Godhra	Mehlol—Raisangji Naharsangji									
4	Do.	Halol	Shivrajpur—Kesarisang Vajesang									
5 to 13	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	1,16,660	34,049		3,820				877	
14	Kaira											
			Divisional Total	1,49,175	34,049	4,881	3,820			98	877	
			2. Estates managed under the Guardians and Wards Act.									
1	Ahmedabad	Dholka	Shorjumakhanji Shermahomedkhanji	11,383	1,700		2,413	1,210				
2 to 3	Do.		Small Estates	91,110	19,856	5,150		55		251		
4	Kaira											
			Divisional Total	1,02,493	21,556	5,150	2,413	1,265		251		
			3. Estates managed under the Civil Procedure Code, Schedule III, para. 7.									
1 to 6	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	31,807	7,192		21,184					
			4. Estates managed under the Civil Procedure Code, Order 40, Rule 5.									
1 to 5	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	10,039	7,628		633					
			5. Estates managed under Section 27 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.									
1	Ahmedabad		Bhankoda—Bapuji Pratapsang and others.	13,350			13,350					
2	Do.		Chhaniar—Himatsang Amarsangji									
3 to 6	Ahmedabad		Small Estates									
			Divisional Total	13,350			13,350					

VI.

under Government Management during the year 1922-23 (consolidated by the Commissioner, N. D.).

and above. Figures for other Estates are lumped together.]

Debt Settlement Loans taken from Government.								Other Debts owed to Government at the end of the year.				Remarks.
liquidated during the year.						Balance of Debts at close of the year.						
Paid from current income.	Paid by incurring fresh Debt. Borrowed from private Creditors.	Paid by incurring fresh Debt. Borrowed from Government.	Paid by sale or incumbrance of property.	Settled by pulla-chhut.	Total.	Due to private Creditors.	Due to Government for Debt Settlement Loans.	Arrears of Land Revenue and Local Fund Cess.	Arrears of Tagavi.	Tagavi not yet due for repayment.	Maintenance Loans.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
4 979					4,979							
	20				897	36,972		461		468	496	
4,979	20				5,876	36,972		461		468	496	
	3,400				3,400	1,923		2,161			4,071	
	2,530				2,530	19,911	2,871	1,964		1,030		
	5,930				5,930	21,834	2,871	4,125		1,030	4,071	
	723				723	27,653		172	49	678		
	1,024				1,024	7,232		217	69	196		
	7,031				7,031	6,319				3,019		
										155		
	7,031				7,031	6,319				3,174		

STATEMENT

Serial No.	District.	Taluka.	Name of Estate.	Debts owed to private Creditors and								
				Claims originally submitted to Talukdari Settlement Officer.	Balance of Debts at beginning of year.		Additional Debts incurred during the year.				Debts	
					Due to private Creditors.	Due to Government for Debt Settlement Loans.	To private Creditors.		To Government for Debt Settlement Loans.		Rejected by Talukdari Settlement Officer or Civil Court.	Remitted by Government or private Creditors.
							Principal.	Interest.	Principal.	Interest.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
			6. Estates managed under Section 28 of the Gujarat Talukdars' Act.									
1	Ahmedabad	Dhandhuka	Dholera—Halabhai Jaswatsing and others	1,27,361	11,806	3,288				163		
2	Do.	Viramgam	Aghar—Sadaji Kasuji and others	61,131	14,615			1,064				
3-54	Ahmedabad											
55-59	Kaira		Small Estates	11,13,941	1,81,186	1,57,478	148	12,888		8,958		
60-61	Panch Mahals.											
62-66	Broach											
			Divisional Total	13,32,453	207,607	1,60,766	148	13,952		9,121		
			7. Estates managed under Mortgage Deeds for Loan and Tagavi Debts to Government.									
			(a) Formerly managed under Act VI of 1862.									
1 to 3	Ahmedabad		Small Estates	80,416		57,156				2,185		
			(b) Others.									
1	Ahmedabad	Dhandhuka	The Secretary of State for India in Council as Mortgagee of Padana and Gorasu villages of Gamph Estate	3,60,278	19,557	1,09,492				6,293		
2 to 5	Do.											
6	Kaira		Small Estates	50,626	43,248							
			Divisional Total	4,10,904	62,805	1,09,492				6,293		
			Abstract.	Number of Estates.								
			Totals under 1	14	1,49,175	34,049	4,881	3,820	5	98	877	
			Do. 2	4	1,02,493	21,656	5,150	2,413	1,265	251		
			Do. 3	6	31,807	7,193		21,184				
			Do. 4	5	10,039	7,633		633				
			Do. 5	6	13,350			13,350				
			Do. 6	66	13,32,453	2,07,607	1,60,766	148	13,952		9,121	
			Do. 8 (a)	3	80,416		57,156				2,185	
			Do. 8 (b)	6	4,10,904	62,805	1,09,492				6,293	
			Grand Total	110	21,30,637	3,40,883	3,37,445	41,548	15,917		17,948	877

VI—*contd.*

Debt Settlement Loans taken from Government.						Balance of Debts at close of the year.		Other Debts owed to Government at the end of the year.				Remarks.
liquidated during the year.												
Paid from current Income.	Paid by incurring fresh debt. Borrowed from Government.	Paid by incurring fresh debt. Borrowed from Government.	Paid by sale or incumbrance of property.	Settled by pullachhut.	Total.	Due to private Creditors.	Due to Government for Debt Settlement Loans.	Arrears of Land Revenue and Local Fund Cess.	Arrears of Tagavi.	Tagavi not yet due for repayment.	Maintenance Loans.	
14	15	6	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
	2,220				2,220	11,806	1,231		115	3,200		
	4,160				4,160	11,519				479		
6,844	41,235				48,079	1,80,801	1,31,778	13,416	791	19,327	1,791	
6,844	47,615				54,459	2,04,126	1,33,009	13,416	906	23,006	1,791	
					6,700		52,641	1,227				
	27,200				27,200	19,557	88,585	16,011		979		
						43,248		182	30	1,071	670	
	27,200				27,200	62,805	88,585	16,193	30	2,050	670	
4,979	20				5,876	36,972		461		468	496	
	5,930				5,930	21,834	2,871	4,125		1,030	4,071	
	723				723	27,653		172	49	678		
	1,024				1,024	7,232		217	69	196		
	7,031				7,031	6,319				3,174		
6,844	47,615				54,459	2,04,126	1,33,009	13,416	906	23,006	1,791	
	6,700				6,700		52,641	1,227				
	27,200				27,200	62,805	88,585	16,193	30	2,050	670	
11,823	96,243				1,08,943	3,66,941	2,77,106	35,811	1,054	30,602	7,028	

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